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banned and the ban effectively enforced in the whole region; and

- (3) Semen originating in regions other than Australia and New Zealand is to be transferred to females in a flock that is listed in the Scrapie National Database as part of the Scrapie Program in the United States. Imported semen may be further distributed to any other listed flock with written notification to the APHIS Veterinary Services area office.
- (f) All shipping containers carrying animal semen for importation into the United States must be sealed with an official seal of the national veterinary service of the region of origin. The health certificate must show the seal number on the shipping container. The semen must remain in the sealed container until arrival in the United

States and, at the U.S. port of entry, an inspector determines that either:

- (1) The seal numbers on the health certificate and shipping container match; or
- (2) The seal numbers on the health certificate and shipping container do not match, but an APHIS representative at the port of entry is satisfied that the shipping container contains the semen described on the health certificate, import permit, declaration, and any other accompanying documents.

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§ 98.36 Animal semen from Canada.

(a) General importation requirements for animal semen from Canada.

If the product is	Then	
(1) Equine semen	There are no importation requirements under this part.	
(2) Sheep or goat semen	The importer or his agent, in accordance with §§98.34 and 98.35 of this part, must present: (i) An import permit; (ii) Two copies of a declaration; and (iii) A health certificate.	
(3) Animal semen other than equine, sheep, or goat semen.	See paragraph (b) of this section.	

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(b) Importation requirements for animal semen other than equine, sheep, or goat semen from Canada.

If the prod- uct is of- fered for entry at a	And	Or	Then
(1) Canadian land border port listed in §98.33(b) of this part.	The donor animal was born in Can- ada or the United States and has never been in a re- gion other than Canada or the United States.	The donor animal was legally im- ported into Can- ada, released to move freely in Canada, and has been released in Canada for no less than 60 days.	The importer or his agent, in accordance with §98.35 of this part, must present: (i) Two copies of a declaration; and (ii) A health certificate.
(2) Canadian land border port listed in §98.33(b) of this part.	The donor animal does not meet the special conditions listed above in paragraph (b)(1) of this table.		The importer or his agent, in accordance with §§ 98.34 and 98.35 of this part, must present: (i) An import permit; (ii) Two copies of a declaration; and (iii) A health certificate.
(3) Port not listed in §98.33(b) of this part.			The importer or his agent, in accordance with §§ 98.34 and 98.35 of this part, must present: (i) An import permit; (ii) Two copies of a declaration; and (iii) A health certificate.

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§98.38 Restrictions on the importation of swine semen from the APHIS-defined EU CSF region.

In addition to meeting all other applicable provisions of this part, swine semen imported from the APHIS-defined EU CSF region must meet the following conditions, except as noted in

paragraph (h) of this section with regard to swine semen imported from Denmark, Finland, the Republic of Ireland, Sweden, or the United Kingdom:

(a) The semen must come from a semen collection center approved for export by the competent veterinary authority of the APHIS-defined EU CSF region Member State.